

ATTEMPT TO HOLD UP ED WALKER

KILL KNOWN CITIZEN THINKS HE HAD CLOSE CALL

Ed Walker, the barber, was the victim of what he is sure was an attempt to hold him up at an early hour last evening. As he was coming down town in the southwestern part of the city, he observed three men, who spread out, and apparently tried to encircle him. He did not wait to enquire into their business, but gave leg bail.

Walker reported the matter to the police, and officers were sent into the neighborhood, but without discovering anything that looked like highwaymen.

EAGLES HOLD ANNUAL ELECTION

The annual election of the Eagles took place last night with the result that the following officers were elected:

Charles Cameron, worthy past president; Alex. Dewar, worthy president; W. J. Walsh, worthy chaplain; W. W. Grimes, worthy secretary; E. K. Smith, worthy physician; Ed Malley, worthy treasurer; Paddy Grimes, Ed Hummel, A. R. Graham, worthy trustees; R. J. Bennett, worthy inside guard; R. Chitwood, worthy outside guard.

PERSONAL MENTION

Harry C. Newhall of Colorado Springs left yesterday for Rawhide. George Wingfield passed through Tonopah yesterday on his way to Goldfield.

Jack Salsberry and Ray Baker, who have been hunting in the wilds of Ubehebe are expected home today.

General Superintendent J. F. Hedden of the Tonopah and Goldfield road was over at Goldfield yesterday. William Erb, secretary of the Mine Owners' association of Goldfield, was in the city yesterday, and left last evening in company with A. D. Nash for Manhattan. He will return here today.

Tonopah Lodge, No. 28, F. & A. M., will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at Butler hall. Work in the third degree. All visiting brothers invited. By order of R. B. Davis, W. M. THOS. LINDSAY, Sec.

Nye and Ormsby County bank checks taken at Mrs. S. M. Richardson's at par value. 12-4-5-6-7 office.

ELY MINERS ARE PRISONERS

ELY, Nev., Dec. 6.—While working 1100 feet below the surface in the Alpha shaft of the Giroux Consolidated mine in this city yesterday afternoon, Timekeeper McDonald, Pumpman Bailey and Miners Brown, "Slim" and Constantia, were imprisoned in the mine by a cave which filled the shaft up for a distance of 200 feet. The Greek miners, "Slim" and Constantia, were drowned in the bottom of the shaft at the 1100 foot level and at present McDonald, Brown and Bailey are imprisoned at the pump station on the 1000-foot level.

The men for a time had communication with the outside by means of the telephone, but this was cut off by a second cave in. With great self-possession Bailey said over the telephone after the first cave in:

"Shut off steam, so we can break the pipes and receive air."

This was done and later food was poured through these pipes to the imprisoned men.

The first cave occurred at the 500-foot level and the second occurred at the 600 level. The debris and thousands of tons of rock were prevented from falling at the 700-foot level by the timbers interlacing.

Fifteen men were working above the 500-foot level when the cave in occurred and all escaped death.

Every miner employed by the Giroux company is now at work endeavoring to rescue the imprisoned miners before it is too late.

They are in constant communication with the buried men by means of the steam pipes, through which the three men are now receiving their air supply.

BUTLER THEATER HAS NEW BILL

The Butler theater put on a new bill last night, which is one of the best that has yet been seen in the way of moving pictures. The program includes the celebrated "Train Robbery" and "The Red Specter," the latter being a clever exhibition of legerdemain. The train robbery is one of the most realistic pieces of work that was ever put on the canvas, and it is highly colored. There were large and appreciative audiences at both performances.

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NEVADA'S JUMP TO THE FRONT

WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED SINCE JIM BUTLER'S DISCOVERY SIX YEARS AGO.

John W. Langley, who has spent the past several years in Nevada, and who, with the business which brought here a few days ago completed, will leave for Tonopah again, made an interesting talk yesterday on what the state of Nevada has accomplished in a mining way during the six years since the discovery of the Mizpah lode by James L. Butler. He wanted to go into more detailed reasons why now is the time to invest in the sagebrush state, but contented himself for the time being with the delivery of the following reference to what conditions were when the revival started, and what has since been accomplished, declaring on the side that the development of the camps has now placed them where a small fraction of the money already spent would yield returns such as men unacquainted with the diggings could not begin to conjure in their brains.

"Six years ago, when Jim Butler made his famous discovery of the Mizpah lode, Nevada was looked upon as a state that, to say the least, was undesirable from every point of view. Comstocks were still played by old admirers who were content to pay 'Irish dividends' regularly with the hope that some day the expected would happen, and another six hundred million would be added to the world's wealth.

"Then a narrow gauge railway (which was financed by D. O. Mills some fifteen years previous, and who said upon his first visit over the road that it was either built 300 miles too long or 300 years too soon) within forty miles of Jim Butler's discovery was the nearest shipping point, and all freight had to be carted over a desert road sixty miles long, with a trail wagon attached, filled with hay, grain, water and provisions for man and beast. The road was dry and dusty and the stage trip of twelve hours landed the bonanza chaser in Tonopah, sorry that he had ever left that good old home where the grass was green and the shade of the trees refreshing.

"Since then over 1000 miles of railroad have been constructed, the twenty-mile teams have almost entirely disappeared, the seventy-horse power automobile has driven the old stage coach to a quiet resting place.

"With the discovery of Tonopah, Nevada awakened from her Rip Van Winkle sleep of twenty years, and today the state is dotted with cities, towns and mining camps where in former days even the bravest of the Piute Indians dared not go.

"The mineral production of the United States for the year 1936, just published, shows that Nevada was fourth in the production of gold, amounting to \$9,278,600.

"In the output of silver she ranked fifth, with \$3,524,972, a total of nearly \$12,000,000. Thus is five years after her rediscovery at Tonopah taking fourth and fifth place among the precious metal producers. This was accomplished before scarcely a local reduction plant had been put in operation and represents ores of quality that would justify shipping to the Salt Lake smelters.

"During the year 1937 a steady production has been going on and those most familiar with the output do not hesitate to say that it will be at least three times that of 1936.

"But the present year has not alone been an era of production and development. The enormous disclosures of milling ores have necessitated reduction plants. A great deal of the ore was refractory and required new methods for saving the values, but after the hardy miner had opened up the 'goods' the rest was comparatively easy, and now there are over 800 stamps dropping in the various mines of the state, as follows:

Name of Mill Stamps

Pittsburg-Silver Peak 100
O'Meara's Valcaldia 20
Tonopah Mining company 100
Belmont 60
Montana-Tonopah 40
Midway mill 20
Goldfield (estimated) 200
Manhattan 30
Round Mountain 10
Berlin (Stokes mill) 20
Montgomery Shoshone 100
Bonnie Claire 20
Under Construction, Homestake-Gold Bar, etc. 100

Total 820

"Estimating the average tonnage to the stamp at five tons every twenty-four hours (which will be conceded as low), the average value of ore treated at \$25 per ton, the yearly output from Nevada's present milling capacity is \$36,500,000. With such results in less than six years who can but say the best is yet to come?

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STOCK MARKET LACKED VIGOR

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Today's stock market lacked much of the animation of that of yesterday, but was even more irregular in its movements. The tendency until near the end of the day was to a higher level, but without the vigor of spurts which carried up prices yesterday. The heavy tone at the outset was attributed to the news of the closing of the National Bank of Pittsburgh. The Kansas City failure of the day before continued to create a bad impression and its influence extended to foreign markets. Another unfavorable influence on stock was the sustained premium on currency which was paid on some large amounts during the day and rather firmer tone of the call money market. Bonds were firm.

three new districts during the past three months, viz: Seven Troughs, Silver Bow and Rawhide, are equal to that of the Mizpah and the great Nevada Hills.

"And that is not all. We have some copper over there, too. Every one has heard of Ely and Yerington—there are others yet to be heard from.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating, and while the Wall Street panic sauce that has been served up during the last sixty days was a little sour, we have the pudding left us just the same, and as it is constantly growing in size and flavor, Nevada can offer generous chunks to all who pass their plates her way."—Salt Lake Herald.

JUDGE REFUSES TO LESSEN BOND

Joseph H. Hutchinson and his associates, who had tied up by injunction 45,000 shares of the stock of the Goldfield Consolidated company, of which they claimed 30,000 shares owned by C. H. Bottsford, have lost their case.

Ten days ago a motion was made heret by the attorneys for Bottsford that the injunction should be dissolved. This motion was argued by Attorneys Thayer and Steele for Bottsford, and Hutchinson was represented by Detch, Carney and Stevens. The verdict was that a bond for \$100,000,000 should be furnished within ten days. Yesterday Hutchinson appeared in court and asked that the bond should be reduced to \$50,000, and that the time limit should be extended for five days in order to furnish it. The hearing was held at Tonopah, and Attorney Carney, in a short but pointed talk, called the attention of the court to the fact that it was very difficult to secure a bond of \$100,000 in these times, but the judge evidently did not take that matter into consideration. The plaintiffs will have a chance to recover damages, and the case will come up for hearing about the middle of February.

The litigation grew out of the sale of the Combination to the Consolidated. Hutchinson and associates, when they secured the injunction restraining the secretary of the Consolidated and its officers from transferring the stock, asserted that they were entitled to 30,000 shares of the stock as a commission. At the present time the value of the stock would be \$112,500. The value of the stock at one time was over \$300,000.—Goldfield Tribune.

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9:29 a.m. Lv. Blair Junction	Ar. 7:46 a.m.	11:25 a.m. Lv. Mina	Ar. 7:05 a.m.
11:25 a.m. Lv. Huen	Ar. 1:02 a.m.	1:10 p.m. Lv. Reno	Ar. 10:35 p.m.
7:08 a.m. Ar. San Francisco	Lv. 8:00 a.m.	1:30 p.m. Ar. Ogden	Lv. 4:30 a.m.
7:09 p.m. Ar. Salt Lake	Lv. 11:45 p.m.		

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No. 1, 12:45 p.m. Lv. Tonopah	Ar. 3:19 p.m.	No. 10, 2:05 p.m. Lv. Goldfield	Ar. 1:45 p.m.
2:25 p.m. Lv. Bonnie Claire	Ar. 12:19 p.m.	4:55 p.m. Lv. Beatty	Ar. 10:55 a.m.
5:05 p.m. Lv. Gold Center	Ar. 10:40 a.m.	5:15 p.m. Lv. Drysdale	Ar. 10:20 a.m.
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